UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/222,336	12/28/1998	GUY A. STORY JR.	80293/40	3308
	7590 03/12/200 `WILL & EMERY LL	EXAMINER		
600 13TH STR		RETTA, YEHDEGA		
WASHINGTON, DC 20005-3096			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			3622	
			MAIL DATE	DELIVERY MODE
			03/12/2009	PAPER

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

DATE MAILED:

Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

APPLICATION NO./ CONTROL NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR / PATENT IN REEXAMINATION		ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.
09222336	12/28/1998	STORY ET AL.	80293/40	
		EXAMINER		
MCDERMOTT WILL 8 600 13TH STREET, N.	W.	Yehdega Retta		
WASHINGTON, DC 20005-3096			ART UNIT	PAPER
			3622	20090310

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Commissioner for Patents

The reply brief filed January 6, 2009 has been entered and considered. The application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for decision on the appeal.

The attached IDS filed August 16, 2006, has been considered by the Examiner.

/Yehdega Retta/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3622